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Test Device
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UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.97(d)

Hon. Commissioner for Patents

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.98 copies of the following patents and/or publications are submitted herewith:

United States Patent No. 5,519,715 (Hao et al.), dated May 21, 1996;

United States Patent No. 6, 003,142 (Mori), dated December 14, 1999;

European Patent Application EP 0 605 091 A2 (Wadsworth et al.), dated July 6, 1994;

European Search Report dated June 8, 2004.

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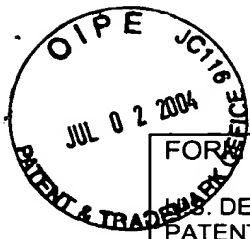

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